





## BANKERS DEFEATED BY SCONA VARSITY SEPTET

Opening Game of Edmonton District of A.A.H.A. is Fast but Ragged—Varsity Boys Outplay Coin Flippers by Score of 12 to 7

### Who Scored the Goals.

1st—Wallbridge, Bankers.  
2nd—Phillips, Bankers.  
3rd—Dean, Varsity.  
4th—Goodrich, Varsity.  
5th—Goodrich, Varsity.  
6th—Goodrich, Varsity.  
7th—Goodrich, Varsity.  
8th—Goodrich, Varsity.  
9th—Martin, Varsity.

### Second Half.

9th—Dean, Varsity.  
10th—Aldous, Bankers.  
11th—Goodrich, Varsity.  
12th—Goodrich, Varsity.  
13th—Taylor, Bankers.  
14th—Aldous, Bankers.  
15th—McKenna, Bankers.  
16th—McKenna, Bankers.  
17th—Dean, Varsity.  
18th—Martin, Varsity.  
19th—Goodrich, Varsity.

Superior condition was the main factor in winning the game for the University last night when they defeated the Bankers by a score of 12 to 7 in one of the fastest games this season. The game was much more spectacular than the one on Monday and almost as one-sided. With the exception of the first ten minutes and a few minutes in the second half the Varsity boys had it all their own way.

### Bankers Condition Bad.

A very short time after the start of the game it was quite evident that the Bankers were not in condition. They were driven back on their own goal and shot after shot was rained on it. By the time the half-way interval had arrived several were scarcely able to keep their feet.

### A Fast Rally.

About half way through the second half they made a remarkable rally sending in four goals in quick succession and setting a pace that was almost as fast as the start of the game.

### Varsity Fast.

The Varsity septet looks almost as good as the Scona team and with sufficient practice should give them a run for the championship. Their wind-line is well balanced and fast. Blaney, Goodrich and Dean make a lightning firing line and with more practice should work up a combination that will go through any defense yet seen on the ice. The defense is a bit weak. Hephburn and Dobson do not check heavy enough or fast enough to stop a well organized rush. May played a stellar game in goal.

Martin and Dean are not fast enough in back checking, but here well into the chances were lost by both the goal and saves fairly well. A number of teams, the one skating the puck is front of the goal.

### The Bankers.

The Bankers are fast skaters and good stick-handlers, but are in anything but good condition. Cris McKenna was the particular star for them, making fast individual rushes and at times working in well with the remainder of the team. He was responsible for two of the seven goals credited to the Bankers. Aldous at cover point played a steady game, checking well and rushing in two tallies.

### The Heavy Scorer.

For the Varsity, Goodrich was the big star, marking seven of the 12 goals himself. He and Dean work well together. Blaney played right wing, but would make a better defense man. He has weight, speed, and is a good heavy checker, but on the for-

ward line did not play far enough up the ice and did not work very well with the remainder of the forward line. He made numerous brilliant individual rushes the entire length of the ice.

The game was clean but rough. Heavy body checking sets the rate and both teams indulged in considerable slashing. Off sides were not called very strictly, both teams getting away with a good many, but they did not affect the scoring.

The game was over half an hour late in starting for some unexplainable reason, and it was 10:30 before it was finished. The attendance was in the neighborhood of 200.

### Summary of Play.

From the face off Dean secures and carries down to the Bankers' goal but loses to Aldous, who loses to Blaney, who shoots wide. McKenna takes it up and loses to Hepburn, who passes to Blaney, who takes it down and scores hard but is stopped. Phillips secures and carries it down, passes to Wallbridge, who scores the first game for the Bankers. From scratch Blaney secures, passes to Dunn who loses to Franks, who takes it down and after a mix in front of goal Phillips scores the second for the Bankers.

Goodrich carries the puck down right from the scratch and passes to Dean who scores. Martin takes it from the face and passes to Blaney, who takes it down and shoots wide. After two or three minute mix in front of goal, Goodrich drives on strongly. Two minutes later he repeats the operation on a pass from Dean. From the face off Blaney carries the rubber down and shoots but is stopped. Wallbridge carries it back and loses to Hepburn, who passes to Dean, who takes it down and passes to Goodrich, who scores again. The fifth goal is scored on a Blaney-Dean-Goodrich combination, with Goodrich doing the last act. Martin makes the save and falls early in the first half from a mix in front of goal.

### Second Half.

For ten minutes the play is rather disorganized with Varsity keeping the puck well into the Bankers' territory and raising shots on the net. Dean finds a hole and puts it through. From the face the puck travels to Blaney and big is taken back by Blaney who loses to Aldous, who carries it the entire length of the ice and scores. Goodrich retaliates by placing two more in the net in quick time. Blaney is ruled off for skipping out and Taylor brings the rubber down alone and places it in the late. Aldous repeats the performance on a pass from McKenna and McKenna keeps up his reputation by finding the net after a combination rush with Wallbridge. Half a minute later he bodies the rubber through again, which ends the scoring for the Bankers. Dean, Martin and Goodrich each secure a tally resulting from combination rushes of the entire forward line.

The teams lined up as follows—  
Varsity Position Bankers  
May.....goal.....Goodrich  
Dobson.....point.....Phillips  
Hepburn.....cover point.....Aldous  
Dean.....rover.....McKenna  
Blaney.....right wing.....Frank  
Martin.....left wing.....Taylor  
Referee—Ken  
Judge of Play—Winchester.

### GOTCH TO MEET POLE.

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## MERCANTILE TEAMS PLAY FAST HOCKEY

Railroaders Defeat Morris by Two to Nil—Somerville Trims Acme

Owing to the Thistle rink being occupied with the provincial League match between the University and the Bankers the two games in the Mercantile league were played on the Excelso rink on McDowell avenue. Somerville defeated the Acme Company by a score of two to nil on playing them on the forward line. The game was inclined to be rough and Burley who refereed the both games placed a big bunch of offenders on the fence. Both goals were scored in the second half of the game. The ice in the open air rink was in splendid condition and the attendance was almost as large as at the game in the Thistle rink. The teams lined up as follows:

Somerville.....Acme  
Carreau.....goal.....Reid  
Carr.....point.....Blewett  
Greer.....cover.....Smiley  
Chinnick.....rover.....Jameson  
A. Banford.....centre.....Smart  
Wisnere.....right wing.....LeChambre  
Buchanan.....left wing.....Wells  
Referee: Burley  
Judge of play: McLeod.

### The Second Game

The second game between the C. N. R. and Morris was a much better game. The railroad won out by a score of three to two the winning goals being made in the second half of the game. At half time the score was one all but after the interval the railroaders got their steam up and pushed two through without a stop. The teams lined up as follows:

Morris.....C. N. R.  
Herrick.....goal.....Wood  
Ranton.....point.....Linton  
Holander.....cover.....Johnson  
David.....rover.....Nicholson  
C. Banford.....centre.....Adams  
Morris.....right wing.....Cusker  
Hughes.....left wing.....Keyes  
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### BASEBALL

Here are some facts about American baseball.

The foxy Connie Mack is the quietest man.

Peggy Hughes Jennings is the quietest individual.

Pitcher Fred Falckenberg is easily the tallest athlete.

Red Corridor of "Lafaje batting fame" is the shortest player.

Walter Johnson possesses more speed than any other pitcher.

Doe White is given credit for having the slowest ball of any of the twirlers.

Ed. Walsh is the handsomest athlete. Some refer to him as the Diamond Apollo.

Ty. Cobb of the Tigers is generally regarded as the fleetest runner in the league.

Jim McGuire strenuously objects to being regarded as the slowest runner.

The best base runner, despite Cobb's speed.

Terry Turner is the boldest player, now that Frank Ishell is a retired athlete.

The Calgarians evidently think they have a fast team in the St. Mary's of this city. Here is what the Albertans say about them:

Anna Strunk of the Athletes is the infant prodigy of the league team.

The Nanos have it to the fat and lean athletes. Cy L. Thompson and Sid Joss are slate, while Cy Young and Sid Thompson are the pretty boys.

Now that Dusty Rhodes has passed out of the league, Bobbie Wallace is the Beau Brummel when it comes to wearing the glad rags.

### A SLUGGING MATCH

Milwaukee, Jan. 4.—Jack White of Chicago, all but knocked out Gene McGovern in a ten-round bout here this afternoon. McGovern was submitted by John Schultz of Toledo, who was taken sick. The bout was an uninteresting one, being a slugging match in which White did the slugging and Gene was the recipient.

Fred Welsh, of England, will probably come over to try to lift the light-weight championship.

Frank Gotch, of England, will

### WITH THE CURLERS

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## HOSTLY VISITANTS ARE NOT THINGS OF THE PAST

Declares Author of "Ghostly Phenomena," Who Relates Some Experiences With Grim Spectres

London, Dec. 30.—Does the time-honored custom of telling ghost stories survive? Do spirits grim of fearful men haunt still this ultra-modern earth, or have their luminous spirits been quenched with blazing publicity or lights and scepticism?

According to Mr. Elliott O'Donnell, ghosts are still in season. He has seen them "by one—to two—by three," as the old adage goes. And in his "Ghostsly Phenomena" (Werner Leary, \$100) he gives some personal experiences of filmy visitants from the shades.

**Ghosts of the Living.**

It seems that beside our ordinary material being we have an ever-accompanying "phantom," or super-physical body. This immaterial body is possible to "project," when it manifests itself, either visibly or audibly, or both, at any distance from its earth-bound partner. "The separations of the two bodies," we read, "may be done consciously or unconsciously, more often the latter, and not infrequently, too, during sleep. Indeed, many cases of nocturnal hauntings have been found to be due to the phantasms of living people, who have dreamed they were visiting certain localities, and whose super-physical bodies frequently have in very truth visited the places in question, and thereby occasioned the hauntings."

The following story is given by Mr. O'Donnell as an example:

"A Mrs. Elmore, on the occasion of her first visit to Scotland, told me that the people with whom she was staying took her to see a picturesqure house near Montrose. The caretaker, on opening the door of them, turned deathly pale, and screamed out, 'God help us! It isn't the ghost come to visit us in broad daylight?'

"When the woman had recovered a little from her fright, she explained to them that for some months past the house had been haunted by an apparition the exact image of Mrs. Elmore; it had exactly the same face and figure, but was wearing different clothes, which clothes, however, when the caretaker described them, Mrs. Elmore immediately identified with certain garments she had at home."

"As they proceeded to explore the house it began to dawn on Mrs. Elmore that the face of the old woman was strangely familiar, and, on ascending the main staircase, she at once recognized the landing and passages as those she had been continually dreaming about during the past year. Pointing to one of the closed doors she exclaimed, 'That is my favorite room with the pretty blue wallpaper, the blue carpet, and the quaint old cabinet standing opposite the foot of the oak bedstead.'

"The caretaker again almost fainted in astonishment. 'It is just as you describe, ma'am,' she exclaimed. 'The ghost is here.'

### A Phantasm of Title.

But Mr. O'Donnell has himself seen phantasms of some of his friends. Of one such personal experience he gives the following particulars:

"One New Year's Eve, a few years ago, I was at a small country station in the Midlands, waiting for the Birmingham train. As the weather was very cold and wet there were few travellers, and the platform, gloomy and streaming with water, presented a singularly forbidding and forbidding appearance. Having been confined indoors all day I was glad to snatch any opportunity for stretching my limbs, and was pacing up and down in the rain when I narrowly avoided collision with a very elegantly-dressed lady. Apart from being pretty she had a decidedly intellectual face, and was so struck with her that I admit I wheeled round with the intention of passing her again when to my astonishment there was no one to be seen, and on my inquirying both of the station master and solitary porter who the lady was it was positively asserted that no such person had entered the station."

"Some months later, when taking tea at a club in Knightsbridge, I was introduced to Lady —, whom I immediately recognized as the lady I had seen on New Year's Eve. I mentioned the incident to her, and she laughingly told me she had never been to such a place."

### A Ghostly Promise.

Ghosts that haunt houses and elsewhere

## FRENCH MONEY IS COMING TO CANADA

Rodolphe Forget of Montreal Discusses His Recent Visit to France

Montreal, Jan. 4.—Rodolphe Forget, M. P., who returned today from a trip to Paris, stated that millions of French capital will be invested in Canada during the next few years, as the attention of French investors has been turned to Canadian securities and Canada enjoys a high reputation amongst the French financiers. What Mr. Forget feels strongly should now be done, is for the government to appoint a first class business man as Canadian agent in the French capital. In Mr. Forget's opinion there can be no over-estimating the necessity of securing the right man for the right place, and he hopes that the government will realize the importance of the appointment they are called upon to make.

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### Not the Proper Place.

New York, Jan. 4.—The harvest of death, the inexorable reaper, has been distressingly plentiful during the year 1910. With utter impartiality he has laid low his victims,不分种族,不分年龄,不分性别。

One of the best friends I ever had was "he" who was a fellow student with me when I was reading in Dublin. K., who came of a very distinguished military family, and was the nephew of the Baroness B., used often to chat with her about the possibilities of the future life.

"Look here," he said to me one night, "I'll make you a promise. If anything happens to me within the next few years I'll appear to you."

"I laughingly told him I should be very pleased to see his ghost, and that I would do all I could to make it feel thoroughly at home. Some months later, K. went to South Africa, where he eventually joined one of the mounted police forces. One evening, when I was sitting alone in my room in D., I suddenly felt very cold, and on glancing towards the window saw a figure standing in the recess.

Though the figure was misty, indistinct, and not clearly defined, I had no difficulty in recognizing it as the phantom of K., who has certainly been beyond my thoughts for a long time. He appeared to be wearing his kilt uniform, which was very much torn and bloodstained. His face was deathly white and shockingly mutilated, and his eyes, which were wide open and glassy, were fixed on me with a blank stare.

"It was a horrid spectacle, and I was so shocked that I fell back in my chair, feeling sick and faint. I do not think the manifestation lasted more than a minute at the most. A few days later I read in the papers that Major Wilson's party had been ambushed and cut to pieces on the Shangani river, and among the names of the victims was that of 'K.'"

### The Priest in the Barrel.

A friend of the author, an artist, gives a account of the spirit of a murdered priest which haunted an old house in Birkenhead. She narrates the occurrence—the absolute truth of which she can vouch for, as can my aunts and sisters, and as could my grandparents if they were alive—in the wealth of the country he reached.

### SOMEWHAT CAUTIOUS

Two Scotch fishermen, James and Sandy, landed and begged on a rough water, were in some trepidation lest they should never get ashore. At last Jamie said:

"Sandy, I'm fearing, and I think you'd better put up a bit of a prayer."

"I don't know how," said Sandy.

"If ye don't I'll chuck ye overboard," said Jamie.

Sandy began, "O Lord, I never asked anything of ye for fifteen years and if ye'll only get us safe back I'll never trouble ye again, and—"

"Whist, Sandy," said Jamie. "The boat's touched shore; don't be beholden to anybody!"—Short Stories.

tion a word of what had happened to my friend."

Night after night the sensations were repeated with ever-increasing intensity, until Miss Debrett could instinctively feel the presence of a woman who appeared to be enduring the most severe mental and physical pain. "I could feel her close to me," continues the narrator, "bending backwards and forwards and writhing in agony. When it reached each end of the barrel was rolled down the stairs—bump! bump! bump!

"When it reached each end of the barrel was a short interval as the barrel was settling itself before beginning its next journey, and then again bump! bump! fainter and fainter, until it reached the cellar, when the sounds ceased."

### The Struggling Girl.

A strange story of an apparition endeavoring to fulfill a death-wish related to the author by an artist, Miss Debrett. She and another artist girl friend went to France in July, and put up at a country hotel. Miss Debrett's bedroom was very close, the roof sloped horribly, and she adds: "I experienced a queer shrinking sensation the moment I entered it."

She continues: "However, overcoming such feelings, I resolved to sleep there and say nothing of my misgivings to my friend."

"At two o'clock in the morning of my first night there, I was awakened by little tappings and a feeling of terror. I tried in vain to sleep, but could not, the presence of some ghost-like creature was strongly about me. I lit my candle and placed it on the stand, beside my bed, trying to assure myself that this at least would protect me from apparitions, but the feeling of the invisible presence remained."

"I was immensely relieved when morning came, though I did not men-

## DEATH'S HARVEST DURING PAST YEAR

Ranks of Royalty Suffered Heavily, Chief Among Victims Being King Edward VII

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Among the members of nobility who joined their ancestors were Count Goetz von Seckendorff, at one time Grand Master of the German empire, the Duke of Alençon, King of Poland, and Prince of Orange.

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CUSHING CASE The Calgary Albertan and the Edmonton NOT A QUESTION Bulletin are going a long way out of their road to impugn the motives of the Edmonton Capital in regard to the charges made against W. H. Cushing.

Without undertaking to open up the question of motives at all, or to suggest that the Albertan and the Bulletin may have motives in supporting a man like Cushing, the Capital is here to state that even if it were shown that there are motives on the part of this paper other than a determination to drive from public life this man a man fit to hold an elective office, that fact could not in any way affect the situation.

Either the things which have been said against Cushing are true or they are not. If they are true the Capital might have the most malign motives in the world and Cushing would not be one whit the less guilty.

If they are not true, why does Cushing flee from the legislature, and the country, and why cannot the Albertan and the Bulletin get from him a statement of his case?

THE COMMON SENSE OF THE SITUATION Bringing with him a wealth of experience in municipal affairs and a good practical knowledge of the workings of the civic machine, George S. Armstrong takes the mayor's chair under more than favorable circumstances.

With no great problems facing the city, he accepts office at a time when the characteristics most in demand in the first magistrate is good common sense; a characteristic with which, fortunately, Mayor Armstrong is liberally endowed.

Mayor Armstrong's inaugural address is reassuring. Discarding anything suggestive of the spectacular and refusing to fall into the common error of men lately raised to position of authority of promising much, the mayor says that the business of the city this year is to take care of what it has and not wreck the chances of the future by undertaking to extend the utilities beyond their possible earning power.

This is the common sense of the situation.

EDMONTON'S DAY Business prospects never were better in the city of Edmonton than they are at the present time. Note the fact that for two months Edmonton has stood at the head of the column among Canadian cities in the percentage of gains in bank clearings.

People who understand recognize what this means, especially in such months as November and December, when all the big cities of the Dominion are doing their biggest business.

The records of the past two years have almost invariably shown western cities at the head of the list. For a long time it was Winnipeg which held undisputed priority in the city showing greatest growth of trade, held there by the unexampled prosperity of the great west. Then Vancouver jumped into first place, the great building and commercial activity promoted by the railway projects which are making the Sunset doorway a great metropolis and a port of wide importance giving it pre-eminence. Next, Calgary came to the front, its remarkable showing being due to the phenomenal era of development and settlement in the winter wheat belt of the south half of the province. Now comes Edmonton and the causes are not far to seek. Edmonton has become within the past few months a railway centre from which radiating lines scatter the burden of commerce throughout an enormous area, the effect being immediately shown on the prosperity of the city, which finds its expression in the bank clearings.

Edmonton's prosperity is not a flash in the pan. It is a solid, far-reaching growth. It is here to stay, the natural result of the development which is taking place in the territory tributary to Edmonton. Every succeeding month is due to show new high levels of commercial prosperity, the direct result of the settlement and cultivation of the country to the north and west and the development of the enormous coal and timber areas tributary to this city.

The record set by the bank clearings of the past two months is a record which will be surpassed every month on the calendar for many years to come, and the percentage of gains in the months and years that are to come will not be less, but greater. Edmonton is due to head the list among Canadian cities for so long that it will cease to become even a matter of comment. For Edmonton the dawn is just breaking. What the meridian of its prosperity will bring about the most optimistic of its citizens could scarce have the hardihood to prophesy.

A BOOM WHICH WOULD BE FULLY APPRECIATED Strathcona citizens have shown a commendable pre-Edmonton spirit of late and it is only a matter of a short time now until we will be all one happy family.

Would it not be a nice act for the new council and commissioners to make a one-fare limit for interurban street car patrons to the north side of the bridge, at least during the cold winter months?

There is no possibility that the street cars would lose a single fare.

Not one of the patrons who during the cold bleak winter climbs those steps at the foot of McDougall after facing the extra cold crossing the Saskatchewan on the bridge but do so almost from necessity.

In the winter it is impossible to make that walk faster than the car goes around by Ninth street, which shows the reason for saving the fare is to save the fare.

Especially during cold days to be dropped off at the foot of the steps instead of at the south end of the bridge would be a boon to the regulars, especially the ladies, would appreciate very much.

## JUST PARAGRAPHS

When a fireman wants a holiday, so the saying goes, he visits another fire hall. The Edmonton boys who raze to save have not had much time to visit even their own locality.

A pitched battle in the streets of London indicates that the boys who came to the wild and woolly west in search of adventure had no idea of what they were going to miss at home.

Mr. Cushing has gone to Tennessee for his health. This seems remarkable in view of the fact that the Albertan is constantly publishing articles to the effect that the Calgary climate is the healthiest in the world. It surely cannot be that Mr. Cushing does not read the Albertan.

## THE COMING WAR IN SPAIN

Since the revolution in Portugal the eyes of the world have been fixed upon Spain also. Will Spain follow suit? These are the questions often asked during the last few weeks.

Rumors and alarms fly to and fro, and the real aspects of the question are apt to be overlooked. For in Spain, the army is loyal to the existing regime, and the Spanish people, moreover, still half sick in apathy, is still slow to offer any but passive resistance where the damages would have it show rebellion.

The rural population find it impossible to live upon the soil, but this does not lead to organized and persistent riots, but to emigration, mostly by village youths, like sheep.

If Spain were a country of populous cities, the basis of the Radical Republicans and Socialists, who now form a united party, have their adherents—at Madrid, Valencia, Bilbao, and especially Barcelona.

Barcelona is a city of unrest, the home of Republicanism, Socialism, Anarchism, Syndicalism, and other subversive isms. It is the danger-point from which a revolution is expected to spread to the rest of Spain.

The present premier claims to have raised the flag of anti-clericalism, but this will be delayed; the strength and opportunity of the Republicans lies in unexpected, extraneous events. Sooner or later, it may be confidently predicted, a republic will come for Spain as it has come for Portugal, although it is more than likely that it will be again a temporary republic like that of 1873.

The Spanish people, it must be remembered, is awakening from its apathy, and being discontented, justly discontented, with the conditions of the country, under the leadership of the agitators, is looking for regeneration not to peace and reform under the monarchy, but to the rush and tumult under revolution. The Spaniards see a prosperous French republic on one of their frontiers, a great and prosperous Spanish republic in the Argentinian and attribute the prosperity not to such subsidiary causes as climate, position, energy, but to the magic word republic.

It is, moreover, in the Spanish temperament to spurn the present for the future (or the past), the practical for the imaginary and ideal; so that while one portion of the nation, in distrust of "new things" has its eyes turned to the days of the absolute monarchy

and the Inquisition, the other, equally untouched by practical politics, looks to a glorious revolution to put an end to all the evils under which Spain labours.

It is fair to say that the first party is growing less numerous year by year, while the revolutionary party increases. Active discontent spreads from the towns to the country districts; the people, more and more lost to the influence of the church, or rather priesthood, is incorporated in the ranks of Radicals and Socialists. Thus in time, almost automatically, a revolution may be expected to take place in Spain.

But this gradual and calmer revolution would be hastened and brought to seething point by any untoward event in Spanish politics.

The reports sometimes circulated of the King's ill-health are unfounded, and it is certain that now more than ever in his life previous to the peace and well-being of Spain. Upon his death there would follow a fresh period of disturbance, which all friends of Spain would deplore, since her past internal history has been that of prosperity rapidly gathering in her intervals of peace but, as soon dispersed by chronic periods of unrest.

But setting this aspect aside, there are three chief causes which would be likely to occasion an immediate revolution in Spain—the fall of General Cárdenas, a war in Morocco, or a change in the attitude of the army.

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## AT THE EMPIRE

"Hello Bill" The play that has the whole City of Edmonton talking, laughing, and holding their sides, will have its presentation this afternoon and night, and will be many regrets by all who miss this Big Laughing Affair. This is the first week of the Partello Co., and for the last half of the week extraordinary preparations have been going on for several weeks, so that the production of "A Royal Prisoner" will be as long remembered by the patrons and admirers of the Partello Co. "A Royal Prisoner" is a Romantic Comedy Drama, laid in Russia, and deals with the Empress and a young story-go-round Lieutenant of the Imperial Guard. Excellent stage scenery, costumes, comedy and excellent situations, makes "A Royal Prisoner" a wonderful play. A short synopsis of the play following, we give no idea of this offering of the Sterling Co. Inc.: Before the Military Prince overlooking St. Petersberg and the Baltic Sea. The Exile of Siberia. The capture of the Duke of Confland, the young Queen, for life, for the Duke's wife. The prisoners meet. The duel, the escape, and the surrender. Next evening, the Empress gives a visit to the fortress disguised as a female agent, and it is ordered to the reception room in the palace of her Majesty. Childhood scenes are enacted. The Empress is informed of the Prisoner's intention to place himself at the head of the rebels. The mysterious message can prisoner from prison. The Empress falls in love with the prisoner but the message from the Duke falls into her hands and she in a rage tries to kill him. All is made up and, after ex-

changes, the Duke turns out to be a Loyal Subject, and a happy marriage takes place.

AT THE THEATRES

SECRET SOCIETY BEING FORMED TO DRIVE LITTLE BROWN MEN OUT OF MANCHURIA

Pekin, Jan. 4.—"Drive out the Japanese," is the watchword of a new secret society which has been formed among the Chinese of Manchuria for the purpose of resisting the aggression of the ambitious islanders. The society is reported to have ramifications throughout the schools of northern China. Rumors that Japanese are strengthening their garrison in Manchuria are causing widespread alarm, and the Chinese, awakening after their centuries-long sleep, are at last taking determined steps to insure the preservation of their nationality against foreign aggression.

Stories that the Russians, on the strength of their entente with Japan, are fortifying Harbin, have gained currency here. The Chinese government is gradually perfecting the new military organization, but the time when the empire will be able to set at defiance the Mikado's forces, is not yet come.

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by Alex Livingstone of the Caldonian store, is the general improvement of the appearance of the buildings, both at the south and west ends. In the spring it is expected that the D. R. Fraser Lumber Company and W. H. Cushing factory will be removed, and the property owners wish that the character of new buildings should be of the most desirable character. They will seek an improvement in the five stable and the lumber yards. The south end of the avenue is now locked up with small shacks and it is desired to replace these at as early a date as possible with more substantial buildings and to make of Namayo Avenue a more up-to-date business thoroughfare.

## NAMAYO RATEPAYERS WILL MEET NEXT WEEK

Formation of Organization to Protect Interests of Property Owners Is Being Considered

A movement is on foot for the organization of Namayo Avenue property owners for the protection of their interests and the improvement of their avenue as a thoroughfare. A meeting was to have been called tomorrow evening for the purpose of forming an association, that it has been decided to leave this over until next week.

The objects of the association, as outlined to the Capital this morning

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# ADDITIONAL SPORT

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## EASTERN ATHLETICS COMMENCED TO MOVE

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every club in city, town and village, have drawn up their rounds for the chief trophy trophies, and, from now on, the rinks will no longer resound with the care-free shouts of the enthusiastic "stans" followers.

### Sating Championships

For the first time for a number of years, the annual skating championships will be held in Canada, the Northern New York States having been favored with these events for the past few years, even though the Canucks have always been to the fore in this line of sport. The spacious ice surface provided by the M. A. A. open air rink will give a track that is about five laps to the mile, the biggest on the continent, while coming in the midst of the winter carnival that is planned for the Metropolis in February, ensures a good attendance. The Lantz Brothers have entered, the Saratoga Lake boys being great favorites on this side of the line.

A great change has come about in Eastern Canada bowling circles and to the introduction of the mineralite, Tifco and rubber bowling ball is attributed the reasons for the remarkable increase in the individual and team totals that have been hung up recently. Three years ago there was not a mineralite hall east of Toronto. The visit of the Ottawa team to Detroit and New York, and the "private" mineralite bowling spheres that these men brought back inaugurated the movement which has assumed stupendous proportions. Nearly every bowler of any caliber in the East now owns his private ball, and even the public alleys are supplying their parlors with these more modern balls. Well-known bowling stars state that their scores have jumped anywhere from twenty to forty pins on each string, the penetrating effect of the mineralite and tifco being much greater than the wooden ball, while the former have less tendency to get lob sided, or in any way change their course while on the alleys, a feat so common to the wooden pins.

### WALKER STUMBLING—

**Failed to Take Century Championship  
from Jack Donaldson at  
Johannesburg**

Johannesburg, S. A., Jan. 4.—A 100 yard dash between the South African sprinter, Jack Donaldson and R. E. Walker was spoiled today when Walker, at 60 yards started and fell. Donaldson's time was 9¾ seconds, only a quarter of a second slower than his world's record. The race was for the professional championship, and the holder had a slight lead when Walker dropped out.

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FISTIC FODDER  
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Packey McFarland and Harry Trendell of St. Louis will probably meet at Pittsburgh, Jan. 5.

Pal Moore received a set back at the hands of Tommy Langdon that will do him any good.

Jimmy Johnston, manager of Owen Moran, who's in Boston, has promised Alex McLean, manager of Matty Baldwin, that if Moran defeats Baldwin, Baldwin will have the first chance at Moran.

Jack O'Brien, of Philadelphia, will run a big amateur courtney in the spring.

Frank Klaus tumble back from a chance at the title unless he can whip a man like Hugo Kelly. It took the fate Kefelth three rounds to get Kelly.

Jack O'Brien has been buying for a time. Now Al Kubak, from big win over Kid Coxon would like to meet O'Brien.

Larry McLean says that if he ever retires from baseball he will join a life department. He could do great service by impersonating the hook-and-ladder.

"Shoveling snow is great exercise for a fighter," said Jimmy Dunn, manager of nine Cleveland boxers. "It gives all the muscles exercise. I had my boys shovel snow from my friends' front walks, and would be glad to have them clean the walks for other people."

## STARS DISCOVERED; MEREST ACCIDENT

Some Baseball Players Who Were Lucky to Ever Get Before the Public

Some of the greatest ball players the game has ever known have been discovered by accident, or through sheer luck. And this statement is the truest thing you know. Five players have been picked at random, but they stand among the best the game has ever known, just to show the truth of the above assertion.

The men are the late Ed Delaney, probably the greatest and undoubtedly the hardest hitter who ever put on a pair of spited shoes; Amos Rusie, who many believe was the greatest pitcher ever in the game; Hens Wagner, by his way, his proper name is John Paul Wagner; Owie Bush and Ty Cobb.

Amos Rusie began his ball career, with the old Grand Avenue team in Indianapolis, when Indianapolis was a member of the Old Twelve Club National League. This was back in the eighties. Rusie was a pitcher, a powerful husky young giant; who had a world of speed and a dazzling array of curves. The Grand Avenue had one large picnic with the other teams in the old Indianapolis City League when Rusie pitched.

**Glascock Discovers Rusie.**

Jack Glascock was playing shortstop on the Indianapolis National League team at that time, and Jerry Denny was holding down third base. Glascock was captain of the team. He heard of Rusie's pitching, and one Sunday took Denny and hiked out to the City League Park, where Rusie played. Glascock watched the younger player, and both he and Denny were so impressed that Rusie was taken down town after the game.

The next day Rusie appeared at League Park in an Indianapolis uniform. The story of his career in the big league is now baseball history, known to all fans. Rusie was a wonder, but his bad habits put him out of the game when he should have been in his prime. He is now living at Vincennes, Ind., working in a lumber yard and dredging for mussel pearls in the Wabash river.

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The youngster didn't have any money and no transportation was enlisted, but he started for Wheeling and made his way there by riding freight trains and walking. He was an infidels, playing second base, and made good from the jump. In 1887 Philadelphia decided to give him a trial, and along in the fall of that year Delaney made his major league debut, succeeding Bascan, one of the greatest players of this time, at second base.

**Get Off to Bad Start.**

As a big league second baseman the man who was destined to become a terror to the best pitchers the game has ever known was not a brilliant success. Neither did he shine with his bat in his first year, as his average of .50 games was only .227. In 1888 he played in 54 games and scored the pill for a grand average of .292. He alternated between second base and left field, and in 1890 he went to left field and remained there until his tragic death.

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"Well, he can throw a ball mighty fast," Al replied, and Hans was wired to Carnegie to report. His salary was to be \$35 per month. Wagner beat

his way from Pittsburgh to Steubenville on a freight train.

Frank Bowerman was catching for Steubenville and Claude Ritchie also was a member of the team. Wagner pitched the first game, but after that they put him in the outfield. His feet were so big it was impossible to get a pair of baseball shoes in Steubenville to fit him and the greatest ball player of all times played his first league engagement in his bare feet.

**Hans Gets to Short.**

The Steubenville team blew up. Mansfield wanted Al Wagner, and wired him to Steubenville. Al had another job, so he sent his brother, Mansfield wanted a shortstop and, while he had been playing the outfield, Hans switched to short. He made good.

Later the Wagner brothers went back to Moreland at Wheeling, W. Va., and then were sold to Captain Kerr, at that time owner of the Pittsburgh club.

Ed Barrow was then managing the Paterson, N. J., team and he wanted Wagner. Kerr thought no one could be had, but when Barrow explained it was Hans Wagner he wanted, Kerr presented him with the Flying Dutchman. Wagner made his big hit right there. Pittsburgh tried to buy him back, but he was sold to Louisville, and he broke into the big league with Fred Clarke in the Falls City. Al Wagner is now managing Wagner Bros.' circus, while Hans is doing is something every baseball fan knows better than any writer could tell.

In 1894 Ty Cobb was begging for a chance with the team at his home town, Augusta, Ga. Con Schreiber was managing his team. Strikers gave Ty a chance, and Ty was canned when he jumped into the air while running bases, knocked down a ball which had been thrown to catch him and was called out for interference. He drew his release about ten minutes later.

**Makes Good This Time.**

The next year Cobb got another chance with Augusta and he made good. Owing to an arrangement Augusta had with Detroit, whereby the former team was permitted to use Pius Eddie Clothee with the understanding Detroit was to get a good man at the end of the season. Cobb became a Tiger in the fall of 1905.

In 1906 he didn't show any too much class and in the spring of 1907 was offered to Cleveland for Elmer Flick, because the Detroit people said he was a disorganizer. Cleveland refused to make the trade. Flick is now warming the Naps bench, while Cobb is the real sensation of the American league.

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## THE STERILIZED SCHOOL

(J. W. Foley in Life)

The walls and the ceiling they're scrubbing.

They're scrubbing the woodwork and floors;

A stream on the blackboard is playing,

They're boiling the desks and the doors,

The old water pail has been sealed,

A cup for each lassie and lad,

And not one may drink, as we did,

From that old tin dipper we had,

They've cleaned every pointer and ferule,

The inkwells are scrubbed out with lime,

The books and the slates are made sterile,

The old well is filled up and dry;

The girls have to wear, willy-nilly,

A button that bears the bold sign;

"The lips that touch germs or bacilli

Are lips that will never touch mine."

The dung cap is boiled every morning,

(They're the individual kind),

The front door is set with this warning:

"Who enters here leaves germs behind."

No apple is snatched for sharing,

As was in the schooldays of yore,

Until they've made sterile the paring,

And quite disinfected the core.

Alas! the old pump is discarded,

And gone in the flight of the years,

The new drinking fountain is guarded,

By the Anti-Germ Grenadiers!

The vines from the windows they're stripping,

Last germ-bred insects might stay,

The eaves and the rafters are dripping,

All wet with a sterilized spray.

Oh, come in the joy of the morning,

What secrets of schooldays we'll tell!

That thick-rising vapor gives warning,

That teacher is boiling the hell,

It's time for the B class in scrubbing,

The A class is set out to cool,

From its recent boiling and scrubbing—

Three cheers for the Sterilized School!

## BURIED BY ROCK SLIDE.

Calgary, Jan. 2.—O. M. Johnson, on Saturday was buried under a rock slide at the power dam near Kananaskis. He was working under a rock dump, when a shot was fired, and in the slide he was buried in a pool in the river.

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